

LITTLE MARINE IS WELL DECORATED

Is Small But Has Campaigned in Several Places; Wins Battle Honors.

Paris, France, Oct. 29 (Correspondence of The Associated Press).—The only decorations were by Pvt. Luke Thayer, Jr., of the United States marines up to two years ago were those received about his exploits when he settled his disputes in the good old Yankee way. Today, Luke, who is a trifle over 13 years old, wears three campaign ribbons, a cross de guerre with a palm, two wound stripes and two other stripes indicating a year's service in France.

Incidentally he is wearing half a dozen scars from battle shrapnel and bullets.

Luke is the son of the chief of police of Georgetown, Pa. He was living at 1707 Arch street, Philadelphia, when a recruiting poster caught his eye and he decided to see the world through the medium of the United States marine corps travel agency. By stretching his five feet six to the full limit and by looking the recruiting officer in the eye without blinking while he swore he was within the legal age limit for enlistment, Luke got into the "soldiers of the sea."

Within a few months after Luke enlisted he earned his first campaign ribbon by helping to impress the might of Uncle Sam on some of the natives of San Domingo. A boat to Haiti was next in order, where he acquired another ribbon.

War Cross After Belleau Woods. It was at Belleau Woods that Luke earned the right to wear the war cross with a palm. A detachment of the marines was with a French regiment at the time. On a little hillcock well camouflaged by a clump of bushes, two German machine guns were spitting death into the ranks of the French and the marines. Twelve volunteers were called for to storm the two nests, and Luke was one of the 12.

The 12 divided into two bodies, but of the five with Luke only one was as far as the objective with him. The others were either killed or wounded. Three grenades were placed by the bay from Pennsylvania finished up the crew of the gun he was after.

Over on the other part of the hillcock Luke noticed his "pals" were having a tough time. He turned the gun he had captured on the Germans still fighting with the other "belly splitters" and not only finished them quickly, but routed a counter attack made by about 25 of the boche. All arrived a little later, but before that time fragments of a shell had put Thayer out of action temporarily. Since that time he's recovered enough

LONDON FREE OF AIR RAIDS

Boche Bombers Are Being Kept Too Busy Back in Their Own Country.

London, Eng., Oct. 29 (Correspondence of The Associated Press).—For four months London has enjoyed immunity from hostile air raids and moonlight nights are no longer dreaded by its inhabitants. For many weeks German airmen have had far more urgent business to attend to on the other side of the channel. Much of this is due to the persistent raiding of Rhine towns and the bombing of German airmen. These attacks compel the enemy to muster for their defense machines which they can very ill spare from the battlefields where the enemy has been fully recorded that the growing frequency of attacks on German airmen have received much less attention. From information obtained from the war ministry it is learned that in the month of August alone there were 22 attacks on German airmen, 19 of which were directed against two of them which became particularly obnoxious as lives of airmen.

In one daylight raid on an airmen a fierce combat lasted over 40 minutes, as a result of which four German machines were destroyed and three others driven down "out of control." Two British machines were lost. Many of the night raids have been very effective. Over one airmen five tons of bombs were dropped, seven direct hits on hangars were made and a fire was started. On another raid eight tons of bombs were dropped, several hangars completely burnt out, and the airmen covered with large holes which effectively spoiled it for landing purposes. The effect of these attacks is to cripple the efficiency of the German aggressive work and their power of retaliation and demoralize their personnel. Their recuperative powers are slow at a low ebb.

to have had the war cross pinned on him, and he's happy, for the Germans have told him he'll get back into action soon.

This wouldn't be such a bad old war," said Thayer, "if only those French generals wouldn't insist on kissing a guy when they pin a medal on him."

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U. S. Cancels Contracts For Troop Vessels

Annuls Agreement With Alameda Yards; Freighters To Transport Men.

Washington, D. C., Oct. 29.—Contracts for construction of a number of troopships, at a cost of \$60,000,000, by the Bethlehem Union shipyards, at Alameda, Cal., have been cancelled by the shipping board. Shipping board officials let it be known today that the action was taken three weeks ago. It is said to have been found that construction of additional ships, designed particularly to bring troops home from Europe after the war, was unnecessary, because plans have been perfected for converting large steel freighters into transports. The board also desires to have its present program completed at the end of 1919, and the yards at Alameda would not have been able to turn out the transports within that time.

Make Contracts Next Year. It was stated today that the board is making no contracts at this time that cannot be completed by the end of 1919. This, however, does not mean ending of ship construction then, for contracts will be awarded during 1920 for construction to run through 1925, such future contracts to be based on estimated needs for cargo carriers of all descriptions after the war.

LIEUTENANTS ARE TRANSFERRED. Lieut. John Ambrosio, 82nd field artillery; John B. Reinhardt, Fifth cavalry; and Ray Edmonson, 15th ammunition train, have received orders transferring them to Ft. Sam Houston, San Antonio, Tex., where they will be assigned to duty.

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A REAL CRISIS FACES AUSTRIA

If German Element Is Pleased, Other Elements Rebel; Vice Versa.

Paris, France, Oct. 29.—The following article by Herr Friedrich Austerlitz, chief editor of the Vienna Arbeiter Zeitung, was published in the German-Austrian Socialist monthly, Der Kampf; the whole booklet is remarkable, and affords valuable insight into Austrian conditions.

The question of Austria's fate is becoming more and more insistent, but it no longer concerns the manner in which that state is to be constituted; the possibility whether it can exist at all is being inexorably weighed. We believed ourselves justified in accepting the theory that all the blood spilt, all the terrible moments and the stirring events that we passed through, would draw the nations closer together; that the outcome of the war would be a stronger feeling of unity amongst the nations in Austria. Nothing draws men closer together than mutual danger, and the closest bonds are formed by the mutual surmounting of danger.

But what do we see when we regard Austria? We see that "mutual help in mutual need" (a famous quotation from Gelpert)—Ed. has widened the breaches between the nations, and also between the nations and the state.

And these breaches will never again be repaired. The idea that the national blood, which has broken down all dams, will sink back to its natural bed, and that the good old Austria will, like the phoenix, arise out of the ashes in all its glory, is a hopeless Utopia. Either the nationalities—state is capable of transforming itself in such a way as to satisfy the longing of all nations for independence and self-determination, or it must face the fact that the mass of those who deny it will steadily increase, and that despair in respect of a state which cannot live and will not die will breed in the general feeling in Austria.

Where Nationalities Clash. Undoubtedly the German bourgeoisie is a strong, fervent, and it would be foolish to dismiss this excitement as mere nationalistic excess. The Germans are conscious that they of all nations have played the most effective part in this war. Where the world conflagration broke out, and who bears the chief blame for such a crime, are side issues; it was above all a war for the world position of the German empire, for maintaining and strengthening the state of the Ger-

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But now come the non-German nations and present another bill. They do not in any way deny that they are patriots; they admit a lack of the officially prescribed enthusiasm for Austria; they do not deny that the war has left them cold and that they are not exactly keen about victory. But why? If they are charged with not loving their country enough, they are charged with not having heart enough for Austria; they say that Austria has no heart for them. They are not at all ashamed of being called traitors, for they hold that the state which claims loyalty must itself be loyal, and of this there is little sign. Patriotism, they say, cannot be bought for nothing; the state which demands it must have deserved it. If, then, it is desired that they, the non-Germans, should love Austria, then the state must be so ordered that they can love it; patriotism must be made possible for the nation.

A Real Crisis. Thus the position which confronts Austria is that the one group wishes to be rewarded because they were patriotic; the other to be recognized, so that they may become patriotic and be able to give up their opposition to the "Nationalities-State." If the former are not rewarded, they give notice as regards patriotism, but if they are rewarded, then the latter merely feel their own subordination the more keenly, and their refusal will assume still stiffer forms.

As reward the Germans claim that they should be proclaimed as the leading nation, and endowed with its privileges. If this is not done, they threaten that they will break away, and that the sole supporters will be lost. But they can only be given what is taken from the Slavs; how, then, can the latter love Austria for patriotism, if they are to get nothing and lose still more? The problem seems insoluble, and in fact it is. The state of the Austrian state, which cannot be healed along this path.

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RED CROSS ASKS 1200 FOR FIELD

American Men Who Can Serve in France Invited To See Dr. Detwiler.

An opportunity for American men of private means to serve with the Red Cross in France is given in a call made by the southwestern division of the organization in a letter to Dr. D. W. Detwiler, representative here of the divisional bureau of personnel of the Red Cross, and quoting a cablegram from the war zone. Twelve hundred men in all are wanted from this country to work with the French Red Cross.

First, 500 American men, able to drop their home affairs and serve for expenses, are invited to join the field forces to act as assistants to zone commanders of the Red Cross. They must have speaking knowledge of French, and should be college men of independent means, with good mixing qualities, imagination, tact and initiative. Some of them will be assigned to duty at the Paris office, some as communication workers, or field searchers. They will have contact with army commanders and heads of large hospitals.

Second, 700 canteen workers are needed to serve hot drinks and food under fire at the front in connection with the American ambulance corps reply in the trenches. These need not know French.

Promised Immediate Action. Energetic young men are wanted and they are promised immediate transportation and action at the front, without delay. Their uniforms will bear the insignia of lieutenants and captains of the Red Cross and they will be regarded as commissioned officers in the service. The French government will pay expenses up to \$40 a month in exceptional cases, one cent for every mile of living expenses, clothing and transportation.

Dr. Detwiler is asked to see that the highest class of men possible is selected and he will be glad to explain the service to those who are willing to give their time to this work. He will receive applicants at his office, 504 Roberts-Banner building.

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Wild Beasts And Wilder Men Attack Aviators On Deserts As Allenby Crushes Turks

By JOHN L. BALDWIN.

LONDON, Eng., Oct. 29.—In the recent sensational British victories in Palestine, aviators played a great part, and from some of those heroes who faced perils above the deserts beyond the Jordan and in other wild and savage regions, I have obtained particulars that read like wild romances of a kind of fighting far removed from anything which our boys who patrol the skies above the western front have had to face.

One of the men who lately flew under command of Allenby across the Egyptian deserts served an apprenticeship in East Africa, where, when compelled to come down by engine trouble he was promptly killed by a herd of wild elephants, who roared the arrival of this great new bird in the regions over which they held domain. The pilot slipped away and hid while the elephants ripped up the machine until a comrade airplane charged down from the sky, put the tusked monsters to flight and rescued the shivering birdman.

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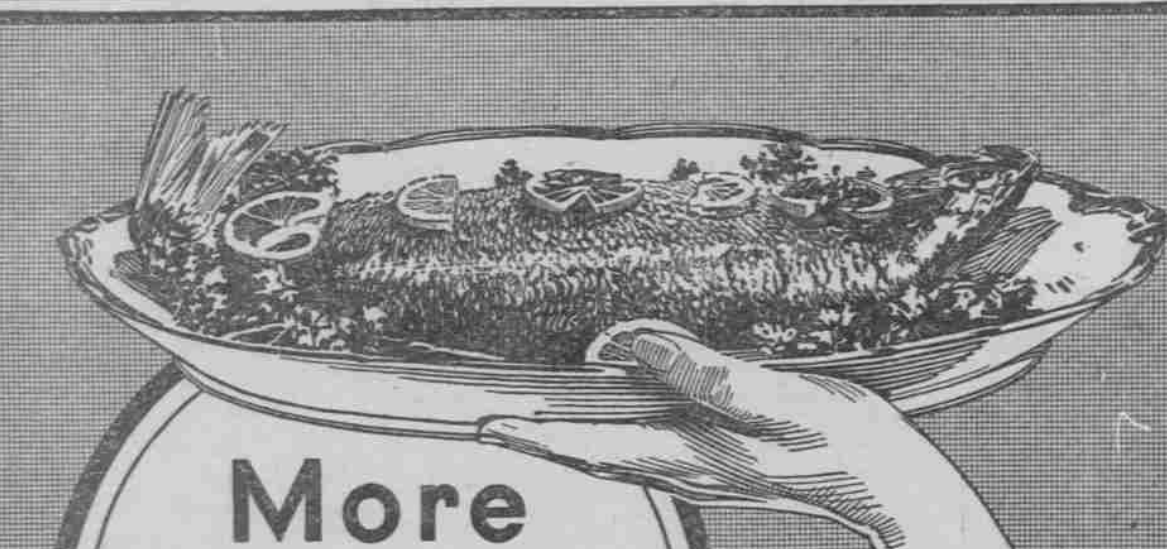
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